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1. [] By way of follow up to Representative Roman Pucinski's call to the Director, I arranged with his office for him to visit the Agency for breakfast on Wednesday morning, 24 May 1967. I will be in touch with the Congressman further on the subject matter to be discussed.

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2. [] Attempted to see Paul Nelson, House Banking and Currency Committee staff, regarding our response to Representative Blackburn's questions which were based on our briefing of the Committee. Mr. Nelson was unavailable and I will attempt to see him tomorrow.

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3. [] Left with Mr. Pat Holt, Senate Foreign Relations Committee staff, in response to his request, a blind memorandum containing information on [] Mr. Holt appreciated this information saying that he had met [] at a reception recently and had an extensive conversation with him. Holt said [] was introduced to him as the Embassy's "expert" on Latin American affairs.

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4. [] Talked with Helen Hashagen, on the staff of the House Foreign Affairs Committee, concerning the testimony of DIA witnesses before the Selden Subcommittee. Miss Hashagen said that this was an executive session, classified briefing. She added that DIA bought a number of copies of the transcript. Under the circumstances, I said that if our people were interested, the best approach would be for us to make direct contact with DIA.

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5. [] Mrs. Mitchell, Senate Foreign Relations Committee staff, called regarding Senator Fulbright's letter of 13 March to the Agency requesting information on the American Friends of the Middle East. Mrs. Mitchell had no record of a reply being received. After checking with Mr. Lee Williams, in the office of Senator Fulbright, with whom we had dealt on this, I informed Mrs. Mitchell that this had been handled with Williams.

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